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## CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Hurrah for the Holidays. Right to the Front of all Competition. Fall in Line all You People Who Wish to See a Bright and Beautiful Display of Christmas Goods.

**Toys** Our lines of toys are larger than ever this year.

**Games** Crokinole; This still remains a very popular game. No. 582 size, 25 inches in diameter with checker board on reverse side, worth \$1.00, now 75c.

No. 80 board, 30 inches in diameter, full size, with checker board on reverse side, stained, imitation cherry, complete, worth \$1.50, now 98c.

Archarena Star Combination Board; a well made board on which 50 games can be played, full equipment is furnished with each board, handsomely finished, price \$2.25.

Also full line of the smaller board games, 5c up to \$1 with a reduction of 25 per cent on most of them.

**Air Rifles** The King air rifle is a beauty and besides being handsome it is the strongest air gun in the world, worth \$1.25, now 75c.

King Repeating Air Rifle; this rifle is perfect in action, easy operated and simple, \$1.25

**Wagons** Toy carts, 6 in. spoke wheels 9c. Wheel barrows, 10c, 25c and 35c. Steel wagons iron clad; the iron clad wagon is the strongest and best finished on the market; two sizes on sale, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

**Shoofly Rockers** Sizes 18 x 36, finished in natural wood, 50c. Hobby Horses, \$1.25.

**Photograph Albums** In selecting stock we consider quality first. Our albums, with few exceptions, have pure gold leaf edges, prices 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 up.

**Plates** A full line of china decorated plates, salads and celery dishes.

This Year  
We Will Give  
Away a Fine  
Quality

Bisque  
DOLL  
32 inches  
long, showing  
Teeth.

Moving Eyes.

Curly Hair.

Etc.

Tickets

Given With

Every 25c

Cash

Purchase.

Doll is now on

Exhibition.

Call and

See It.

**Boy's Sleds** Hardwood Coaster, top neatly ornamented, 25c. Hardwood coaster, length 36 inches, round spring shoes, regular price 75c, now 50c

**Dolls** We are showing a full line of dressed dolls and kid body dolls, ranging in price from 5c up to \$2.50.

Dress dolls, 13 inches, fancy dressed, assorted collars, trimmed with lace and ribbons, large bonnet trimmed with lace, only 50c each.

**Medallions** The popularity of these pictures has been proven by their immense sale. We know of no line of goods more suitable for Christmas gifts. Our line is large and the sale has begun on them.

**Wedgewood Vases** We would call particular attention to these vases. They are so beautiful and so moderate in price.

**Crest Wove Ware**, consisting of picture boxes, jewel cases, fern dishes, ash trays, cracker jars, &c. This popular line of goods is more beautiful this year than ever before and at prices within reach of all.

**Pocket Books** For ladies' and gentlemen card cases, combination card case and pocket book, bill books, finger purses, letter cases, cigar cases, purses, &c. at the lowest prices. Ladies' shopping bags, 35c

**Books** It is again our privilege to invite your attention to our annual large assortment of books, bibles, testaments, &c. We have increased our line by adding all the new books, at the lowest price.

**Hand Painted Souvenir China.** Our line of 1901 Dresden assortment of hand painted German souvenir china representing the different schools and court house are attracting great deal of attention; ask to see them; prices 35c, 45c and 65c each.

## Extracts From the Lexington Caucasian and Express

Matters of Interest Published in The Caucasian and Express, December, 7, 1888; Just Thirty-three Years Ago This Week.

### MARRIAGES.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, near this city, on the 3d inst., by Rev. J. A. Murphy, Mr. C. Wayne Masterson to Miss Belle B. Hook, all of this county.

At the Methodist church, in Greenton, in this county, on the 3d inst., by Rev. J. A. Murphy, Mr. John A. Pruitt to Miss Marie M. Bush.

On the 29th, ult., at Providence, Mo., W. N. Brockenbrough, of this city, to Miss Alice P. Thomas, of St. Louis.

In Ray county, on the 2d inst., by Elder W. C. Dawson, Mr. J. Wesley Beale, of this city, to Miss Fannie E. King, of Ray.

At the residence of the bride's father, by Elder G. B. Waller, on the 12th ult., Mr. G. W. Long to Miss Bettie Baker, of Clinton, Mo.

On the 23d ult., in Clay county, by Rev. Franklin Graves, Mr. John T. Hall to Miss Mollie Cravens. Also at same time and place, by the same, Mr. John J. Pollock to Miss Artala Cravens.

In Brunswick, on the 24th, by Rev. T. L. Smith, of this city, Mr. James M. Martin to Miss Mary E. Howe, both of Brunswick.

On Monday, by the Rev. Mr. Seals, H. W. Wright to Miss Orilla Buck.

The parson seals his fate—"it is clear, She's right for once—the Buck has got it dear.

On the 10th inst., by Rev. J. W. Bushong, Mr. Samuel L. Highleyman to Miss Laura A. Hull, daughter of Dr. A. Y. Hull, editor of the Democratic Press all of Sedalia.

By Judge James N. Burnes, in the parlor of the Platte Savings Institution, on the 24th ult., Mr. Lewis Fitz to Miss Cath'n McDonald, all of Platte county.

At the residence of C. A. Middleton, on the 26th, by Rev. J. A. Pool, Mr. John M. Ellison to Mrs. E. A. Wood, all of Warrensburg.

A lady of Memphis has offered to bestow a bridal bonnet on any young lady who will bestow her hand on the editor of the Canton, (Miss.) Mail.

### DEATHS.

Died, on the 14th, near Deerfield, Va., Mrs. Nancy Clayton, in the 61st year of her age.

The Streets.—Are being improved a little. The work on Pine is done.

**Antidotes.**—Some one in Yankee land has invented an antidote to tobacco; and down south some one is reported as having discovered an antidote for whisky. We do hope both are real, and that both will cure. Of the two evils, the use of tobacco is the least, but both are great enough to demand cure if possible. The tobacco remedy has been used here by several persons addicted to chewing and smoking with good effect, and several others are now trying it. We do not know, as yet, anything of the other remedy, but if it will cure intemperance, we have only to say it is badly wanted here, and the sooner it is put to business throughout the land the better.

**Failures.**—The assignee of Moses Frankel, a bankrupt, sold his effects in this city yesterday.

The sale of the goods of Mr. F. Schnell, seized by creditors, is set for the 12th, by the sheriff.

**Personal.**—Mr. Jessop one of the oldest insurance men in the state, and thoroughly identified with western interests, is in our city. We commend him to our citizens.

**The Weather.**—Up to this time, we have had little or no cold weather, though we have had it cool and every other way too warm. The first fall of snow, of any considerable quantity, occurred on Thursday afternoon and night, and on Friday morning we were wrapped in a mantle of snow to a depth of a few inches. The ground was very wet and consequently the depth was much diminished.

**The Wheat.**—We continue to hear good accounts from the growing wheat crop. It is reported as looking quite well in all sections. The fall has been favorable, with abundant rains, and now that we have a fall of snow upon it, the crop will continue to prosper and flourish, especially if the snow shall last for a few weeks. The spread is the largest ever made.

**Loss of Waverly Ferryboat.**—We understand that the ferryboat at Waverly was lost a few days ago, by striking a snag, which carried away so much of her hull that she went down. We have not heard enough of the particulars to enable us to say whether she can be raised or not.

**Hacks to Railroad.**—Messrs. B. Young are running a daily mail line to the railroad, carrying passengers, leaving this city at six o'clock, and this line is kept up at considerable expense by the proprietors, and at great convenience to the public it should be well patronized.

**Recovering.**—We understand that S. Allen, now at the county farm, is recovering from a severe attack of erysipelas which it was thought at one time he had died. The keeper, Captain G. was quite ill for a time, but has recovered.

**Chestnuts.**—A friend brought to last week, a small quantity of chestnuts raised on his farm eight miles away, were well developed and as good as suppose, as Virginia chestnuts. We have more of them? We see they are delicious and should be patronized.

**Burned to Death.**—On Wednesday last, a little daughter of Mr. Patrick Lyons, severely burned that she died in a short time after. She approached to an open grate, when her clothes caught fire, and she was killed.

AN old man was refused insurance by a Company because he was 94 years old. "What of that!" he cried, "look at your statistics; fewer persons die at 94 than at any other age." You see he was right but not reasonable! So, you are right when you say you can get along without Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand Coffee. But is it reasonable not to give this famous coffee a single trial? A wagon, you know, can get along without grease—but it goes hard.

In 1-lb. and 2-lb. Tin Cans (air tight). Other high grades in richly-colored parchment bags (moisture proof.)

Vaughan & McClelland, Agents.

F. W. Allen has returned to his home at Kansas City, after a visit of a few days with the family of the Rev. E. J. Fenstermacher.

Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment has been thoroughly tested for many years, and is a positive cure for this most distressing and embarrassing of troubles. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. For sale by Crenshaw & Young.

Mrs. W. E. Comstock and daughter, Miss Gladys, returned to their home at Kansas City Monday afternoon, after a visit with Mrs. Comstock's mother, Mrs. W. H. Chiles.

Worms take refuge in the small intestine, where they easily multiply. White's Cream Vermifuge will destroy these parasites. The verdict of the people tells plainly how well it has succeeded. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Crenshaw & Young.

Claude Johnson, after a visit with the family of his father, George Johnson, left Sunday night for Liberty. He is a pupil at William Jewell college.

W. C. Gower, a leading attorney of Marshall, a son-in-law of Capt. A. A. Lesueur, paid Lexington an important business visit Sunday.

Praise the bridge that carries you over either a flood or cough. Ballard's Horehound Syrup has brought so many over throat and lung troubles, such as coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., that its praises are sung everywhere. Price, 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Crenshaw & Young.

Dr. R. B. Kice and wife, of Richmond spent Sunday with George Kice and family. They were accompanied by their little son Robert.

An attractive woman thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. When troubled with a constive habit, she takes a few doses of Herbine to cleanse her system of all impurities. Price 50 cents. For sale by Crenshaw & Young.

Mrs. J. G. Goodwin, of Alma, came up Monday afternoon to visit her son at the academy.

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Handle only the very best of

Drugs, Chemicals,  
Pharmaceuticals,  
Toilet Articles,  
Surgical Dressings,  
Surgical Goods,  
Sick-room Requisites.

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